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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Responsive to the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance in the Office action mailed June 15, 2005, the Applicant comments as follows.

The Applicant agrees that all pending claims (including claims 8, 10, 14, and 22) are allowable and that the prior art, taken either singly or in combination, fails to teach or suggest the language of these claims, respectively. The Applicant respectfully notes, however, that the language attributed by the Examiner to claims 8, 10, 14, and 22 in some instances does not identically appear in those claims. For each of the allowed claims, the Applicant notes that the actual language of the claim speaks for itself.

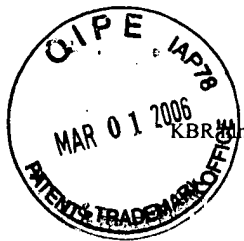
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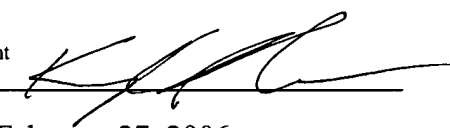
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